



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENTS

In re Application of: )  
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**TOSHIHISA INOUE, ET AL.** )  
) Art Unit: To Be Assigned  
Serial No.: **09/701,962** )  
) Examiner: To Be Assigned  
Filed: **DECEMBER 5, 2000** )  
)  
For: **ION ACTIVITY-MEASURING DEVICE AND** )  
**METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME** )

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

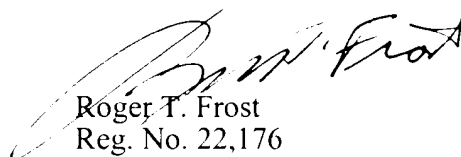
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The above-identified applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time within which to file a response to the Office Action dated January 12, 2001, to expire March 12, 2001. A check in the amount of \$110 is enclosed herewith to cover the fee for a one-month extension.

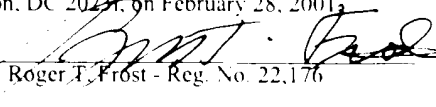
Please charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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